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adequate for an offennive war like the one carried on today by Rumania at the side of the Soviet army. The Rumanian requiting system is based on principles 30 or 40 years old and should have undergone changes a long time ago. Such changes have not been possible because the Rumanian Cenerals are great conservatives. Ceneral Vinogradov completed his idea by saying "No are revolutionary generals, we are not afraid of anything and we will accomplish this reform."

#### c. Movement of Remonion troops

The Remain Courd Division will leave for the front as it must be given the opportunity to cover itself with glory there. The "Tudor Vladimireeon" Division will be brought to Ducharest. At the same time a new Remainin Division composed of Remainin soldiers and officers captured before 25 August 1944, is being trained in Russia and will be ready by the first of Thy.

## d. Communications between Rusania and abroad

The Americans have requested that telegraphic, telephonic, postal relations be set up between Rumania and other foreign states. The Soviet High Command opposed this measure, pointing out that Rumania is not an illied country, is governed by an Armistice Convention and is full of fascists and pro-fascists. Therefore, the setting up of a telegraphic, telephonic, and postal commotions with the outside would be a damperous measure as it would facilitate the transmitting of information and the recoving of orders from abroad. General Vinogradov stated that he personally opposed this measure. However, in order to reach a final decision on this problem which has been raised by the American Hission's request, the Soviet Righ Command must wait for an answer from Hoseow where full reports have been sent.

### e. Costody of General Rideson

General Ridoscu, fromor Trime "inistor, is sheltered at the British Logation where he is general by a joint British and Russmann guard. At first the British Mission had no objections to this measure. However, some time later AVII Stevenson addressed a protest requesting that the guard be composed of British soldiers only. Obseral Vinegratov does not understand why AVII Stevenson protests since he had agreed at the beginning. The General believes that it would be much wiser if General Ridoscu were guarded by Russmann as well, since on agreession by fascists or pro-fascists could take MacJangian. In order to avoid much a thing General Vinegradov added that the guard has received strict instructions to take anybody who disturbs public order to the Soviet command, so as to avoid further:

to that of Farmi when a British officer shot at some mords in a Remonian car. As a matter of fact the British Mission has been asked to punish the

Concret Viscounter stated that in accordance with intime 12 of the Application Convention, 1900 meter care were requested out of which only 68 have been delivered. The General has addressed himself directly to General Vasilia Rassam, Dimistor of the seking that immediate measures be taken. Theilin Research, Educator of the selding that immediate measures be taken.